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Ms. Patricia Newell Planning and Environmental Division ATTN: CESWT-PE-E 1645 S. 101<sup>st</sup> E. Avenue Tulsa, OK 74128

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Thank you for the opportunity to review and provide comments for this project and your FSFES. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at 913-551-7565, or via email at tucker.amber@epa.gov.

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